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U.S. DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

**Mar 12, 2021**

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

CINDEE THOMAS, an individual,

Plaintiff,

v.

STATE OF WASHINGTON  
DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND  
HEALTH SERVICES, a State  
government and its division and  
agency,

Defendant.

NO: 2:21-CV-88-RMP

ORDER GRANTING STIPULATED  
MOTION TO DISMISS FEDERAL  
CLAIMS AND REMAND TO STATE  
COURT FOR FURTHER  
PROCEEDINGS

BEFORE THE COURT is the parties' Stipulated Motion to Dismiss Federal Claims and Remand to State Court for Further Proceedings, ECF No. 5. Having considered the motion and the record, the Court finds good cause to grant the parties' request for dismissal of Plaintiff's federal claims and remand to state court.

Accordingly, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:**

1. The parties' Stipulated Motion to Dismiss Federal Claims and Remand to State Court for Further Proceedings, **ECF No. 5**, is **GRANTED**.

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2. Plaintiff's federal claims of (1) Unlawful Retaliation in Violation of Title VII, and (2) Hostile Work Environment in Violation of Title VII are **dismissed with prejudice**.

3. This matter is **REMANDED** to the Spokane County Superior Court for further proceedings.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.** The District Court Clerk is directed to enter this Order, enter judgment of dismissal with prejudice on Plaintiff's federal claims, provide copies to counsel and a certified copy of this Order to the Clerk of Spokane County Superior Court, and **close** this file.

**DATED** March 12, 2021.

*s/ Rosanna Malouf Peterson*  
 ROSANNA MALOUF PETERSON  
 United States District Judge